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Via ECFS Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary Federal Communications Commission 445 12th Street, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: In the Matter of Petition of USTelecom for Forbearance Pursuant to 47 U.S.C. Section 160(c); WC Docket No. 18-141; Category 1

Dear FCC,

I am a customer of Sonic in San Francisco, California. I strongly support broadband competition. If it was not for the ability of Sonic to compete with the big guys, my monthly bills for telecom would be doubled. Not only that, the service I get for half the price is also tremendously better. These services include internet and telephone. The only reason I became a Sonic customer in the first place is because they were competitive: offering more for less, which makes a big difference for my bottom line every month.

In conclusion: I strongly support broadband competition and I hope you will consider consumer experiences like mine when making policy decisions.

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